



State of Arizona
Department of Education

CALL FOR ARTWORK FROM STUDENTS WITH IEPs
For Display at Arizona's Fifteenth Annual Transition Conference
Connecting for Success: Shared Expectations, Responsibilities, and Outcomes
August 24–26, 2015

Arizona's Fifteenth Annual Transition Conference Planning Committee is seeking artwork created by students with IEPs for display at this year's conference. All student artwork will be acknowledged by the Arizona Department of Education/Exceptional Student Services. The theme, ***Connecting for Success: Shared Expectations, Responsibilities, and Outcomes***, reflects the importance of making connections with the people, agencies, and resources that support engagement, independence, and successful post school outcomes for students with disabilities.

Artwork Entry Submission Rules

- Any student currently enrolled in an Arizona public education agency (PEA) or approved private school, identified with a disability, and between the ages of 14 through 22 is eligible to submit an entry.*
- Sponsoring agencies/PEAs must obtain all necessary approval for participating youth under age 18.
- Submit artwork in one of two ways:
 - 1) Mail artwork by **August 21, 2015, at 5:00 p.m.** to at the addresses below; or
 - 2) Bring artwork to the conference site (Talking Stick Resort, 9800 E. Indian Bend Rd., Scottsdale, AZ) between **4:30 p.m. and 6 p.m. on August 23, 2015.**

DESIGN CRITERIA:

Artwork Form/Medium:

ALL FORMS of artwork will be considered (e.g., pottery, papier mâché, sculptures, weavings, fabric, masks); NO LIMIT applies to colors or sources used to create colors.

Size:

ANY SIZE up to a MAXIMUM of 18" X 22"

Labeling:

Each entry **MUST** include a label affixed on the back clearly marked with the **student's name, age, school, and grade. The entry contact person's name, e-mail address, mailing address, and phone number must also be clearly labeled.**

Self-Addressed Return Packaging:

All entries must include appropriate self-addressed return packaging. Artwork can be picked up at the conference site on August 26, 2015 at 11:30 a.m.

Special Note:

Neither the Committee nor its sponsors will assume responsibility for lost, stolen, or damaged artwork. The Committee reserves the right to reject any submission based on content or deviation from the conference theme, if deemed inappropriate.

Submission Deadline:

All student artwork entries must be received by **August 21, 2015, at 5:00 p.m.** Mail or deliver artwork to ADE:

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